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PERSONALS.

Chester Wheeler was a visitor in Hampton today.

Father J. B. Delaney has returned from a trip to New York.

The Chesley-Rand wedding occurs on Wednesday of this week.

W. A. Peirce left this morning for a short business trip in Boston.

Stephen Decatur left on the 11 o'clock train for Boston this morning.

Judge Samuel W. Emery was in Exeter today attending supreme court.

Daniel Cox, petit juror at this term of supreme court, went to Exeter this morning.

Hannah J. Peirce of this city has been granted an original widow's pension of \$8 a month.

Surgeon General F. S. Towle is in Concord today attending the meeting of governor and council.

Ralph S. May returned to his studies at St. Paul, Concord this morning after a week's vacation spent in this city.

Pointed Paragraphs

Hymen's torch is always lighted with a match.

Stories might properly be classed as sheet music.

A deaf mute is always ready to take a hand in conversation.

When a man is up and doing much depends on who or what he's doing.

When other waiters are on a strike the dumb waiter is still at work.

Men admire a handsome man when he has good sense—but there's the trouble.

The poor fowl is awfully cut up by the time the amateur carver gets through with it.

Some people are away up in the social scale because they are too light to bring the scale down.

A Cuban Flag

A twelve foot Cuban flag has been received by General Gilman Marston Command, U V U to be used in the decoration of their hall for the May ball. If fair weather tomorrow the flag will be displayed from the staff in front of their hall.

Navy Yard Notes.

Firemen, first and second class, are wanted in the navy yard and they can enlist on board the U S R S Essex.

It is reported that the U S S Alliance will return to this yard to be placed out of commission.

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Easy to say, but how shall I do it?
In the only common sense way—keep your head cool, your feet warm and your blood rich and pure by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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CITY OF ROCHESTER
Office of City Marshal.

ROCHESTER, N. H., March 4th, 1898

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Dear Sir:—I have been a great sufferer from Piles for over 30 years, and a constant sufferer, never having only temporary relief. The pain has been very severe, and at times, using me up entirely. I have had the Protruding Piles, have tried every remedy and cure I ever heard of, have consulted doctors, all with the same effect, and I still had them with me; had practically given up of ever getting any relief until I read one of your little books. I wrote to you immediately, as I knew you very well. I commenced to use your cure as directed, and I felt the relief at once, and have continued to improve, and now, after using one cure and most another, I am well along to the completion of a permanent cure, am not troubled with protruding at all, and all inflammation has entirely gone. Your cure is perfect, so easy in application, and so sure in curing, that it is a pleasure to see it. I am very thankful that I used it. I hope this testimonial will induce some sufferers to try this cure; I will surely cure.

Yours with heartfelt thanks,
O. B. WARREN,
City Marshal.

WAR NEWS.

The Militia Call of Four Strokes on Saturday Evening Summons the Members of Company A and Causes Excitement.

Mayor Tilton Telegraphs Governor Ramsdell and Also Senator Chandler Inquiring What is to be Done For Defence of Portsmouth.

SPANISH SHIPS SO FAR TAKEN.

- No. 1—Steamer Buena Ventura, 1741 tons, by the Nashville
- No. 2—Steamer Pedro, 2872 tons, by the New York
- No. 3—Fishing Schooner Perdido, by the Ericsson (Released).
- No. 4—Schooner Mathilde, by the Porter.
- No. 5—Steamer Miguel Jover, 3591 tons, by the Helena.
- No. 6—Steamer Catalina, 4796 tons, by the Detroit.
- No. 7—Steamer Saturnina, 2808 tons by the Winona.

Special to the Herald

ON BOARD FLAGSHIP NEW YORK OFF HAVANA APRIL 24. Noon—More batteries again opened fire on the fleet today and for some hours the boom of heavy Spanish guns was heard. The shot went wild however and had no effect on the fleet.

CAUSED INTENSE EXCITEMENT

The sounding of the military call Saturday Evening Attracted the People

The military call was tried for the first time in this city on Saturday evening, being given on the fire alarm call at a few minutes before eight o'clock. It did not take the citizens long to discover that it was not a regular alarm of fire and in less than ten minutes three thousand people assembled in front of the armory of Company A, on Court street. The air was full of sensational rumors and it was said that the company had received orders to go to Fort Constitution or to the navy yard while others said a special train had been ordered ready and that they were going to Boston. The fact was that Captain Pope was acting under orders from Colonel Rolfe and was trying the military call. In fifteen minutes after the call sounded forty-one members of the company were present and in uniform and a few minutes later every man with but one exception answered the roll call. The men were ordered to pack their knapsacks and to be ready to move at any time. Captain Pope congratulated the boys on their attention to duty and the next call will no doubt mean final orders for duty. The company has now been recruited to seventy-five men. The summoning of the militia furnished excitement enough for one night.

Mayor Tilton's Telegram

On Saturday Mayor Tilton sent the following telegram to Senator Chandler in Washington:
Sen. W. E. Chandler, Washington, D. C.
Can you inform me by mail what specific preparations have been made by the national government for the defence of Portsmouth harbor, our commerce and our navy yard. Little, if anything, is visible to our eyes.

Respectfully,
JOHN S. TILTON,
Mayor of Portsmouth.

To Protect Portsmouth

In response to the urgent request of Mayor Tilton and the citizens of this city, Adjutant-General Ayling, by direction of Governor Ramsdell, has issued the following order to Col. R. H. Rolfe:
Special order No. 17. Col. R. H. Rolfe, commander of Third regiment, N H G, will take such steps as he may consider necessary to have Company A of his command in constant readiness in service under arms. The emergency call may be issued if necessary.
By order of the commander-in-chief, A. E. Ayling, Adjutant-General.

Asks Protection for Portsmouth

Governor Ramsdell today sent a telegram to the secretary of war requesting

the protection of the national government for New Hampshire's only seaport. He also sent the following telegram to Secretary Long:

To Hon. JOHN D. LONG, SECRETARY OF THE NAVY.

The inhabitants of Portsmouth, our only seaport, and the people of New Hampshire earnestly desire such protection as the navy can afford. I earnestly recommend that a monitor or other war vessel be stationed there for the defense of the harbor.

GEORGE A. RAMSDELL,
Governor.

Ready for Business

Station Agent Grant and Superintendent Corey of the round house had instructions to have an engine and cars in readiness every minute of the day and night to convey troops at the government's orders. To show how near ready they are all the time, two minutes after the military call Saturday evening, an engine, all oiled up and with a full head of steam, with two cars, were waiting at the depot for further orders.

Messrs. Grant and Corey are alive to the situation and intend to be prepared for every emergency.

Spain's Colonies

In response to several queries, here are a few facts regarding Spain's colonies: Besides Cuba, Spain holds as its colonies, Porto Rico and Philippines. In Africa it still owns Fernando Po and three large islands near French Congo Land; Cape San Juan, the Canary Isles, part of the Western Sahara, six settlements in Morocco and the Jaffarin islands; the Balearic islands in Europe; in Asia the Sulu and the Palaw archipelagoes; Caroline and Ladrones islands. These contain over 11,000,000 people and supply a handsome revenue to the Spanish treasury.

On the Anxious Seat

There is a large circle of well known society ladies in this city who are watching the progress of the war with Spain with greater interest than any of our citizens. They are the wives and daughters of the brave officers now in command of Uncle Sam's fighting machines or are in command of the fighting forces. There are no less than fifteen families of the officers now at sea, visiting here.

Militia to Attend

Captain Pope has obtained the consent of the adjutant general to have his company turn out this evening and attend the unloading of the stars and stripes over the city building at 7:45 o'clock. An effort is being made to get either Eastman's band or the Keeney's Five and Drum band to turn out and furnish music.

WILL RECEIVE HALF PAY

Boston & Maine Employees Will Also Have Positions Held Open for Them

At a meeting of the directors of the Boston & Maine railroad held yesterday, it was voted that any officer or employee of the company, now a member of the national guard, the volunteer militia or the naval brigade, who, by volunteering or under orders, enters or has entered upon active military or naval service under state or federal authority, shall receive one-half of his present pay during such service, and, upon being honorably discharged therefrom, shall be restored to as good position in the company's service as that now held by them.

Served at Bombardment of Alexandria

The commandant of the Portsmouth navy yard has received a letter from Thomas F. Maher of Manchester in which the latter says:
"Dear Sir—It is evident that hostilities between the United States and Spain is hourly expected, and I wish to tender my services as a volunteer. I have served 10 years in the British navy as a gunner the Royal Marine artillery, and was considered one of the best marksmen in that artillery in heavy guns. I served at the bombardment of Alexandria, in Egypt, and have received an honorable discharge from the British navy and am now a naturalized citizen of the United States. I consider my services valuable against Spain and am therefore anxious to serve and volunteer my services in defense of this country. Please notify me at your earliest convenience what course to pursue, and oblige."

They Left Today

In spite of the disagreeable weather on Sunday afternoon a good-sized crowd assembled at the passenger station at 2:30, expecting to witness the departure of the marines now on duty at the yard for New York. It was the intention of the commandant to send them, but as they were ordered to New York by the steamboat route, their departure was postponed until today, Monday, owing to the fact that the Sound line steamers do not run on Sunday.

The detachment will consist of twenty-two privates, four corporals and two sergeants. After their departure there will be seven men on duty here and three are in the hospital. First Sergeant Woodsum will remain here as the officer in charge of the barracks.

Opened up the Station

The signal station at the Isles of Shoals is now in full working order and on Saturday night regular patrol duty of the members of the naval militia stationed there was commenced and will be kept up night and day. An experienced telegraph operator is on duty and constant communication is kept up via the Shoals cable with the headquarters of the service at Boston. The men are quartered in the Ingerbrosen cottage on the south front of Appledore where they will remain until the new station is completed. A large number of instruments will be taken to the islands today, Monday, for the use of the signal men. The telegraph line will be extended to the signal quarters and a force of men will be taken to the islands today to erect the poles.

War Material Being Moved

Orders were received at the navy yard to ship two hundred 15-inch shells, fifteen 15-inch shrapnels and fifty-six 15-inch solid shot to the navy yard, League island, Pa. Gunner Fries had a force of men at work and the shipment was made today.

Sons of Portsmouth There

Lieut. F. L. Capehart of the cruiser New York, who may fairly be considered a son of Portsmouth, will receive as his share of the prize money in the capture of the Spanish freighter Pedro, by the cruiser on Friday night, the sum of \$800, Carpenter I. S. Haley, also of this city, and attached to the New York, will receive \$450. According to Sunday's despatches, the New York on Saturday captured another Spanish steamer, the Don Pedro, said to be much more valuable than the other Pedro, and will give handsome prize sums to officers and crew, and the fun has only commenced.

Company A to Remain Here

Mayor Tilton received word from Adjutant General Ayling this forenoon that at the meeting of the governor and council today it was decided not to order Company A of this city away at present but for them to remain as ordered on Saturday evening, ready to answer an immediate call to arms. The mayor was also asked if barracks could be provided for the entire regiment if ordered here. He answered that they could be taken care of and the owners of Peirce and Philbrick halls have been seen about their halls.

Applying the Torch

(Special to the Herald)
KINGSTON, April 24.—Fugitives from Guantanamo, province of Santiago de Cuba, say Spanish troops are concentrating in the principal sea coast cities, and that they are laying waste by fire interior towns and plantations. It is feared the devastation will be complete before the Americans can occupy that territory.

Secretary Sherman Resigns

(Special to the Her. Id)
WASHINGTON, D. C., April 25.—Secretary Sherman has resigned and will probably be succeeded by Assistant Secretary Day.

Kept Open Sunday

The armory of Co. A, 3d regiment, N H N G, was kept open all day Sunday and eight recruits were enlisted, making a total of 23 enlisted since Friday. All of the new recruits are young men whose ages average about 24. So far but two rejections have been made by Surgeon General Towle.

Don't be Alarmed

The people of Portsmouth need not be alarmed this evening at the sounding of the militia call on the fire alarm. The boys simply turn out to cheer old glory and will not go marching on to victory just yet.

First Cottage Opens

The first cottage of the season to open up at Rye Beach is the Lewis cottage at Little Bear's Head. The family arrived Saturday from Philadelphia to remain all summer.

At St. John's

Rev. Colby Hardy, formerly of this city, assisted the rector and the Rev. Treadwell Walden at St. John's yesterday. The vestry are contemplating buying the house No. 54 State street for a rectory.

The little folks love Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Pleasant to take; perfectly harmless; positive cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma.

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A Handsome Team

Messrs. Longhlin and Kirkpatrick, the brewers and bottlers, are nothing if not progressive and this morning put on the street one of the handsomest delivery wagons ever seen in this city. It is of the latest pattern, white in color and a beauty.

Assessors Notice

The board of assessors of the city of Portsmouth, N. H. hereby gives public notice that it will be in session for the purpose of receiving the inventories and of hearing any statements which may legally be offered, at the office of city clerk on the evenings of April, from 7:30 to 10 o'clock P. M.

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PORTSMOUTH'S INTERESTS.

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The war is on!

There will be no need of a draft.

Spain will discover that victories are not won by making bonfires of American flags.

The Klunkers will hear about the war a few weeks after peace has been declared.

The chances are that the state campaign will be a longer and more tiresome affair than the campaign against Spain.

The Loyal Legion has expelled Zols for his attack on the Festerbach court martial.

The Loyal Legion has the genuine French idea of the times of things.

The New York Tribune of recent date contains the following: "Mr. Davis in the senate and Mr. Rice and Mr. Dingley in the house are united to be glad if the members of the nation for the services they have rendered in restraining rash judgments are in shaping congressional action into the most practical form."

As for the president, to him belongs the chief credit for bravely and wisely making on the way in advance, and amid not a little opposition "To him are due congratulations on the triumph of his policy in congress."

KODAK FRIENDS OUT.

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 25.—All roads led to Chattanooga Sunday. The immense national park where are now encamped nearly 5000 of the United States regulars was the headstone which drew thousands of people from all the surrounding country and for the day nearly depopulated Chattanooga. Even before sunrise the stream of humanity here started toward the park, and in the afternoon fully 5000 people were scattered through the vast grounds watching the incoming soldiers and marching to their assigned camps. Places, and outside with interest the different phases of the life of the field. Kodak friends were there by the score, and took pictures in every opportunity with camera and tripod.

THREE LIVES LOST.

Cripple Creek, Colo., April 25.—Three men lost their lives in a fire Sunday in the Londonderry mine. The dead are W. H. Pine, superintendent; J. W. Foster and J. P. Jones, miners. Jones and Foster were working in a drift at the bottom of the shaft when the shaft took fire. Pine went to their room and the three were asphyxiated. The bodies were recovered.

MICHAEL AND McDUFFIE.

New York, April 25.—Henry S. Duke of Boston yesterday commenced arrangements for a 10-mile race between Michael and Edward McDuffie. The race, which will be for \$10,000, will be held at Charles River park, Boston, July 2. McDuffie was also named as the first Fred Titus for the same distance in Boston on May 11.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEVITIES.

The Vatican will observe the strictest neutrality in the war. The pope's wishes prayers only for a speedy conclusion of peace. He refused to sign a "Te Deum" for victory and a "Te Deum" for peace. Though not a foot is placed upon the Framingham camp ground, Captain Landy has a thousand tents all ready for instant call. If the troops mobilize upon that field, as seems to be indicated by the unmodified dispatch of a military force from the capital, they will pitch their own tents. The number of the latter is ample for the 5000 men in the two brigades.

The coaling question will be met by England by a provision that belligerents will be supplied at British ports with not more coal than sufficient to carry them to the nearest port of their own country or some nearer destination, and no more coal will be supplied to the same vessel within three months except by special permission. Armed ships will be prohibited from carrying prizes into British ports, including those of the colonies.

Discouraging. "Where's your way?"—I—or—suppose your sister does not like my coming to office, does she?

"Little Brother" (confidently)—Oh, you needn't worry about sister! She can outsmart anybody.—Philadelphia

SPAIN ADMITS STATE OF WAR.

President's Message on Declaration States the Fact.

MADE ANSWER TO THE ULTIMATUM

Formal Acknowledgment and Acceptance of the Decree.

Governors Notified of the President's Call For 125,000 Volunteers—Troops to Encamp at State Grounds For a Seasoning Process Before Active Campaigning Begins—Fleet Busy Making Seizures Near Cuban Coast—No News of the Paris.

Washington, April 25.—All the arguments pro and con were discussed Sunday afternoon at a conference in which President McKinley, Attorney General Griggs, Assistant Secretary Day and Senators Davis and Hale participated. On its breaking up, announcement was made that congress would be asked to declare what it held already existed as a state of war against Spain. This was the most important Washington development of the first war Sunday.

The president sent a message to the congress immediately after its convening, setting forth the facts in the case and asking it to formally declare war in order that there may be no misunderstanding on the part of other nations. "The most important point in the message from a news point of view was the announcement that Spain had made formal reply to our ultimatum. This reply had not been given to the public, and it was supposed that more had to be received. The document is a formal acknowledgment by Spain and also acceptance by that country of the ultimatum as a virtual declaration of war. Congress therefore was asked to recognize this condition of affairs and to declare it to the world, using Spain's concession as a reason for it.

Now that war has been entered upon, even congressmen like Mr. Johnson of Indiana and Mr. Lord of California, who hunk back protesting to the last, have sunk their individual views in the common cause, and all are now anxious to give the president a united support in every measure deemed expedient or necessary to prosecute the war to a speedy and successful conclusion. In order to show the world that the national divisions have ceased and that the representatives of the American people are united in soul and in purpose behind the president, it was agreed that the declaration of war should be passed without a word of debate.

The Republicans and Democrats hold widely divergent views as to the methods by which the returns to carry on the war should be used. But those opposing lower, will not be offered by the president. The leaders of the minority are extremely anxious, and they will insist, so far as they are able, upon providing such substitutes as are in line with their ideas and desires for the bill framed by the Republican members of the ways and means committee, which Chairman Dingley introduced in the house Saturday. The Democrats of the house, especially the leaders of the ways and means committee, are aggrieved because they were not consulted, and had no vote in the preparation of the revenue measure. In the face of a foreign enemy they say they have sunk party considerations and have voted to uphold the hands of the president, and they believe that in raising war revenue, inasmuch as they are expected to acquiesce, they should have had a share. For the Republicans to meet in secret and prepare a measure strictly according to their own ideas, they maintain, is a display of partisanship such as should not have been given at such a time. Chairman Dingley, thinks the bill should pass and go to the senate by Tuesday night at the latest. The Democrats will protest against this expedition, but will probably not carry their opposition beyond that. Mr. Bailey, the Democratic leader, and other Democrats note the necessity for prompt action and, while they feel they have been unfairly treated, under the circumstances they will make no long opposition. They are practically desirous of the opportunity to present sub-propositions for various features of the bill as prepared. Mr. Bailey said they would probably be willing to forego general debate if an arrangement could be made to consider the entire bill for amendment under the five-minute rule. The chief amendment they desire to offer is for an income tax, which they believe can be framed to meet the desires of the majority. They believe a considerable proportion of the war tax should be raised from this source. They are also opposed to some of the provisions of the stamp act, which they believe will prove onerous and irritating, and it is likely they will offer propositions in lieu thereof for a tax of 10 cents on letters and telegrams and a graduated tax on railroad and other transportation tickets, both of which propositions were considered by the Republicans of the ways and means committee, but rejected.

There is considerable opposition to the bill of the feature of the bill on the Democratic side, and whether a compromise or not a motion will undoubtedly be made to strike it out. Mr. Bailey, however, is understood to recognize the necessity for an authorization for borrowing money. Some of the Democrats desire an authorization for loans of greenbacks. The chief feature of the bill will probably be bitterly attacked.

It was said at the navy department that additional information had not been received of the movements of the Spanish fleet rendezvoused at Cadiz and the Cape Verde Islands. Every step taken by the navy was promptly reported to the department by the agents abroad. One officer explained that it was very necessary to receive with the greatest caution reports of the movements of the Spanish ships, as Spain naturally will try in every way to mislead the United States. Most of the vessels of the Atlantic squadron, which is to sail with an expedition, according to the latest published advice were rendezvoused at Hong Kong. The squadron is under command of Commodore George Dewey, a well-known and trusted naval officer, and is made up of seven vessels excluding the coal colliers.

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the first armed enemy met. The officers crowded on the quarter deck as elated as the men, though under better control. The leader flew to the general quarters. All hands flew to their posts. Down came the shrouds with a rattle. The lifelines vanished from the deck. Rear Admiral Sampson, standing on the bridge, said deliberately to Captain Chadwick, "Yes, the Oquendo or the Vizcaya." And then added, "I should like to lag them both." Then it was seen that the vessel was flying the Italian flag, but this was no proof that behind her still invisible guns Spaniards were not concealed, and then it was known as a pirate or a submarine. All the guns on the New York's port side and in the forward and after turrets were trained on the stranger.

A few minutes later, when about 1500 yards separated the New York from her target the American flag was run up by the masthead, and then it was known as a pirate or a submarine. All the guns on the New York's port side and in the forward and after turrets were trained on the stranger.

Plans are making for the complete organization of the regulars and volunteers, merged into one grand army of infantry, artillery and cavalry, numbered 125,000 men. The army organization will be moved by the house Saturday, which is expected to be favorably acted upon by the senate today or tomorrow. The proposed improvements for the complete organization of the army on a war footing. Under the plan of merging the regulars and the volunteers, it is intended to place one regiment of regulars with two companies of volunteers, forming a brigade. By the provisions of the post-war act, law which will be passed, the army will consist of 125,000 men, including the volunteers, and each brigade, therefore of 3000 men. These of the brigades will form a division, and the divisions a corps of the army.

The president has received reports of the progress of the army. The president has received reports of the progress of the army. The president has received reports of the progress of the army.

INSURGENTS AS ALLIES.

New York, April 25.—It is pointed out that, when the army under General Arzobispo, with the rifles and ammunition, was captured by the Cuban rebels, the rebels, and when we have reinforced it with that which it has never had, an effective force of artillery, it is an

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the first armed enemy met. The officers crowded on the quarter deck as elated as the men, though under better control. The leader flew to the general quarters. All hands flew to their posts. Down came the shrouds with a rattle. The lifelines vanished from the deck. Rear Admiral Sampson, standing on the bridge, said deliberately to Captain Chadwick, "Yes, the Oquendo or the Vizcaya." And then added, "I should like to lag them both." Then it was seen that the vessel was flying the Italian flag, but this was no proof that behind her still invisible guns Spaniards were not concealed, and then it was known as a pirate or a submarine. All the guns on the New York's port side and in the forward and after turrets were trained on the stranger.

A few minutes later, when about 1500 yards separated the New York from her target the American flag was run up by the masthead, and then it was known as a pirate or a submarine. All the guns on the New York's port side and in the forward and after turrets were trained on the stranger.

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Scott's and we sell it much cheaper," is a statement sometimes made by the druggist when Scott's Emulsion is called for. This shows that the druggists themselves regard

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INSURGENTS AS ALLIES.

New York, April 25.—It is pointed out that, when the army under General Arzobispo, with the rifles and ammunition, was captured by the Cuban rebels, the rebels, and when we have reinforced it with that which it has never had, an effective force of artillery, it is an

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MUSIC HALL.

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An Egyptian Village. "An Artist Among the Fellahs" is the title of an article in The Century by R. Talbot Kelly, the English artist. Mr. Kelly says: "The country about Khabouna is, I think, the most beautiful in Egypt. Being the center of the date growing industry, large groves of palms are so numerous as to be almost a continuous forest, broken here and there by small open patches of boronia and vegetables, principally beans, the fragrance of which in the early spring is delicious and, under the hot sun and the dry wind of the wild bees, makes one long to lie in the shade of the trees and dream forever. The town itself is buried in the midst of a particularly dense grove, and on one side is the usual birket, or pool of infiltrated water, common to all villages, and mounting so much illness and epidemic among the people. These birkets are forced by the excavation of the mud with which the houses are built, and, filling with water, they usually become open cesspools into which all the filth of the village population, breeding millions of mosquitoes as well as malaria. As if this were not enough, the village cemetery was placed on the brink of the pool, the graves being below the water level, and I actually saw women drawing water from the pool for domestic use! Needless to say, I touched no water in this village, except that which my own men brought from a distance.

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MOON'S PHASES.
 Full Moon 6 43 p.m. 20 8:37 p.m.
 Third Quarter 13 4 a.m. 28 9:21 p.m.

THE WEATHER FORECAST
 ALMANAC TUESDAY, APRIL 26.
 Sun 18°-24° 46, sets 6:37.
 Moon sets 12:45 a.m. 7:30 p.m.
 High tide—2 45 a.m., 7 30 p.m.
 Fair weather, without great change in
 temperature, is now indicated for New
 England, probably through Wednesday,
 westerly winds, becoming variable.

MONDAY, APRIL 25, 1898.

**For local news—While it
 is alive—Read the Her-**
ald.



My country, 'tis of thee,
 Sweet land of liberty,
 Of thee we sing.
 Land of the pilgrim's pride,
 Land where our fathers died—
 From every mountain, side
 Let freedom ring!

A Disagreeable Day

Sunday was one of the most disagree-
 able days in many weeks and the street-
 were deserted of all but those who were
 absolutely forced to be out. The churches
 were thinly attended and Sunday school
 classes were given up. Down in the har-
 bor the wind howled dementally and a heavy
 surf beat on the rocks. The steamer
 Charles E. Mayer left the docks in the
 morning but anchored in the lower har-
 bor owing to the heavy sea.

Timothy C. Crowley Resigns

Mr. Timothy C. Crowley, who for the
 past ten years or so has ably filled the
 position of ticket agent at the Boston and
 Maine passenger station in this city has
 resigned the same to take effect at the
 end of the month. Mr. Crowley came
 here from Seabrook where for several
 years he was in charge of the road's sta-
 tion at that place. He has many friends
 in this city who will miss his familiar
 features at the depot.

Returned to Tampa Bay

Mr. O. L. Frisbee, who had just re-
 turned from Florida, where during the
 past winter he was assistant manager of
 the Tampa Bay hotel at Tampa Bay, was
 summoned late on Friday to return to
 that resort, and left this city on the early
 train the following morning. The rush
 of people to Tampa Bay is so great that
 the management has reopened that hotel.

Not Partial to Clubs

Saturday night two men called at the
 station house and reported that the fore-
 man under whom they had been working
 at the fortifications in Newcastle had
 taken a club to them. They were re-
 ferred to the sheriff and will no doubt
 have a warrant served on the man today.

Referred to a Committee

The vestrymen of St. John's parish
 held a meeting on Saturday to consider
 the project of selling the old rectory on
 Chapel street and buying Christ church
 rectory, now occupied by Rev. H. E.
 Hovey, and the matter was referred to a
 committee for further consideration.

Accident at Navy Yard

Herbert Seawards, employed as a ship-
 wright on the navy yard, met with a pain-
 ful accident at 10:30 this morning by
 getting his hand caught in the machinery
 at the saw mill. He was removed to the
 hospital where his wounds were dressed by
 Surgeon S. G. Ayers, U. S. N.

Decoration Day Orator

Rev. J. L. Seward of Abiston, Mass.,
 has been secured by Storer Post, G. A. R.,
 to deliver the memorial oration at Mus-
 hall on the evening of May 30. He is an
 eloquent speaker.

Notice.

All holding bills against the Portsmouth
 Cycle club pertaining to their minstrel
 show, please send in at once.

Per order.

Bodily pain loses its terror if you've a
 bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the
 house. Instant relief in cases of burns, cuts,
 sprains, accidents, of any sort.

Entertained Guests
 William Harrington, general manager
 of the Portsmouth Brewing company, en-
 tertained a number of his Manchester
 friends at the plant in this city today.
 The company has recently added an ex-
 tensive plant for the manufacture of lager
 beer. It was to celebrate the opening of
 this new addition and the first lager beer
 brewed that invitations were issued to
 all their agents and a number of espe-
 cially invited guests to inspect the plant
 today.
 The guests arrived on the noon train
 from Manchester and were driven at once
 to the brewery where Caterer Ham had
 prepared a fine banquet. During the meal
 speeches were made by several of the vis-
 itors and toasts were drunk to the new
 undertaking. In the afternoon the plant
 was thoroughly inspected from top to bot-
 tom and the party took the evening train
 for home, well pleased with the way they
 were entertained.

Herrmann the Great Company

The world is forever after the impos-
 sible. It is because Herrmann has achieved
 it that he is entitled to be called the only
 successor to Herrmann the Great. In the
 program which this prince of magicians
 will present at Musc hall next Wednes-
 day evening every law of nature is set at
 naught. No one can explain the things
 that Herrmann does. In fact, few care to,
 because there is no defiance in his man-
 ner. Herrmann only desires to entertain
 you and he accomplishes his boldest de-
 ceptions with so much apparent candor,
 he feels you with such witty, and at times
 sardonic apologies, that you are happy in
 your blindness and would hesitate to
 spoil your enjoyment by too much per-
 ception. It is fortunate that this is so
 as Herrmann himself naively remarks, "the
 closer you look the less you see."

Mass Meeting Tonight

Mayor Tilton, in response to the ur-
 gent request of a number of heavy prop-
 erty owners and many mechanics, has
 issued a call for a mass meeting to be held
 at the old court house this evening at 8 p.
 m. At this meeting the people will have a
 chance to voice their sentiments and it is
 hoped that some action will be taken and
 forwarded to Washington in regard to
 having some work sent to this navy yard.
 Before the mass meeting the flag on
 the city building will be flown to the
 breeze. Let everybody be present and
 cheer the stars and stripes.

Death of Two Colored Ladies

The death of two well known colored
 ladies this morning has cast a gloom over
 the colored residents of our city who have
 recently mourned the death of two po-
 pular young people.

Shortly after noon the death of Mrs.
 Robert Braxton was announced. She has
 been ill only a short time of spinal menin-
 gitis. She leaves a husband and two
 children, a boy and a girl.

Mrs. Hayward Burton died early this
 morning at her home over the Globe Gro-
 cery company's store. She leaves a hus-
 band and one sister, Mrs. Mary Reed.

Organized in Kittery

The following company was incor-
 porated under the laws of Maine at An-
 gusta on Friday last: New York & New
 England Titanic Smokeless Powder Co.,
 has been organized at Kittery, for the
 purpose of the manufacture and sale of
 patented blasting and gun powders,
 with \$100,000 capital stock, of which
 nothing is paid in. The officers are:
 President, John J. Rink of Melrose,
 Mass.; treasurer, Edward L. Coy of
 Melrose, Mass. Certificate approved
 April 20th, 1898.

Richard Dow

Richard Dow, second son of Mr. and
 Mrs. Dow, died at his home on Daniel
 street on Saturday evening of Bright's
 disease, aged twenty-eight years. De-
 ceased was a most popular young man
 and was employed at the Portsmouth
 gas works. He leaves, besides a
 father and mother, two brothers, Wil-
 liam and John, and three sisters,
 Nellie, Mamie and Maggie, all of this
 city. The funeral services will be held
 from the Catholic church on Tuesday
 morning at eight o'clock.

Coal to Take a Rise

People in this city would do well to get
 their next winter's supply of coal in at
 once, as a rise in the price is expected
 every day now. Freight rates took an-
 other jump Saturday, and with the sail-
 ing of the Spanish fleet for our coast an-
 other big jump will be the result. Coal
 has been selling 25 cents a ton cheaper in
 this city than in Boston for some time
 now and the dealers here are already agi-
 tating advancing the price, and once start-
 ing there is no telling when it will stop.

Required on the Yard

Patrick McLaughlin, E. E. Riley, S. E.
 Adams, John H. White, Walter H. Went-
 worth, D. J. Hurley, R. C. Stephenson,
 George F. Philbrick, E. E. Chase and Ly-
 man Moore were required on the navy
 yard today.

**MALAGA GRAPES, 15 CENTS A
 POUND, AT CHESLEY'S CASH
 GROCERY.**

PERSONALS.
 G. Fred Drew is in Conway today.
 Dr. F. S. Towle passed Sunday in Bos-
 ton.
 H. P. Martin went to Lynn, Mass., on
 Sunday.
 J. True Davis was in Boston today on
 business.
 Charles F. Hussey spent Sunday at
 York Beach.
 Joseph Emery of Boston is the guest of
 relatives in town.
 Mr. Fred Driscoll was a visitor in Do-
 ver over Sunday.
 Mr. H. A. Mathes of Dover was in town
 today on business.
 Miss Minnie Dondoro was a visitor in
 Boston on Saturday.
 Joseph H. Gardiner and wife passed
 Sunday in Kingston.
 Mr. Cyril E. Jackson passed Saturday
 in Boston on business.
 Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Blaisdell were
 visitors in Boston today.
 Justin H. Shaw has returned from a
 business trip to Manchester.
 Hon. Frank Jones came down from
 Boston on Saturday evening.
 Miss Mary Fritz left Saturday on a
 visit to friends in Manchester.
 Ex-Alderman Joshua T. Vaughan made
 a business trip to Boston today.
 Mr. George Ducker has returned from
 a week's visit to friends in Bath, Me.
 Henry O. Batten passed Saturday and
 Sunday in Boston, the guest of friends.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Locke were among
 the Portsmouth people at the Hub today.
 Station Agent Frank Rand of York
 beach passed Sunday at his home in this
 city.
 Mr. H. L. Paul of Brookton passed
 Sunday in Kittery the guest of his par-
 ents.
 Miss Emma Baddock, clerk at B. A.
 Reich's, left this morning on a week's va-
 cation to be spent with friends in Rox-
 bury.
 Mr. Ralph Odiorne of Boston, spent
 Sunday with his parents at Odiorne's
 Point.
 Mr. George Wadley passed Sunday at
 the home of his mother on Islington
 street.
 Mr. Fred Harriman of the B. & M. R.
 R. passed Sunday with his parents on Deer
 street.
 Miss Mary McCarthy has been the
 guest of the Messrs Sanford and Gannon
 of Concord.
 Clerk Leavitt of the Rockingham is
 passing a few days at his home in Med-
 ford, Mass.
 Mr. and Mrs. Herman Staples of New-
 buryport, passed Sunday with friends in
 South Eliot.
 C. A. Bradley, the well-known coal
 merchant of Rochester, was in town today
 on business.
 E. Percy Stoddard, who has been visit-
 ing in Boston for ten days, returned home
 on Saturday.
 Mr. Joseph Kelley of Boston was the
 guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mulcahey
 over Sunday.
 Mr. Philip Young of Boston passed Sun-
 day with his father, Col. Aaron Young, on
 Austin street.
 Miss Ida Phillips of Boston passed Sun-
 day with her mother, Mrs. M. F. West-
 worth, at Kittery.
 Horace Pepper resumed his studies at
 Harvard college today after a brief visit
 to his parents in town.
 Justin V. Hanscom passed Saturday in
 Boston, attending a meeting of the Frank
 Jones' Brewing company.
 Mrs. Thomas Mulcahey and little son
 returned on Saturday from an extended
 visit to friends in Boston.
 Miss Elizabeth Ayers resumed her do-
 ties at Armstrong's cafe on Sunday eve-
 ning after a week's vacation.
 Misses Mary Waldron and May Lord
 returned this morning from a visit to
 friends at Winter Hill, Boston.
 Miss Kate Kelly, cashier at the depot
 cafe, leaves this Monday morning on a
 week's visit to relatives in Roxbury, Mass.
 Superintendent Thomas Flanagan of
 the Boston Suburban Light and Power
 company passed Sunday with his family
 in town.
 Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Foote and Mrs.
 Oriel Caswell returned on Sunday even-
 ing from a short visit to Mr. and Mrs.
 Harry Tebbett in Boston.
 Principal Curtis of the Haven school
 came down from Boston on the Pullman
 on Sunday evening, where he has been
 visiting for the past few days.
 Mr. Charles Batchelder who has been
 passing a week's vacation with his mother
 in this city, returned to his studies at
 Harvard Law school this morning.
 President Arthur W. Harris and Treas-
 urer and General Manager W. F. Har-
 rington, of the Portsmouth Brewing com-
 pany, entertained a party of New
 York and Pittsburg, Pa., gentlemen at
 the Rockingham on Saturday and Sunday.
 J. E. Phipps, Cyrus Wakefield, Cyrus
 P. Clough, F. S. Hartshorne and D. H.
 Darling of Wakefield, Mass., arrived here
 on Saturday morning on their annual bi-
 cycle trip. They remained at the Rock-
 ingham on Sunday, leaving on the 2:30 p.
 m. train for home.

CITY BRIEFS.
 She paid for the bell
 And improvements they sell—
 Too many to mention by name.
 "The bonnet and bike,"
 Quoth she, "are alike;
 The trimmings cost more than the frame."
 Mass meeting this evening.
 Go to the "Cosmos" ball this evening.
 Spalding stand for the best in every
 thing.
 Ladies and gents box calf shoes for
 \$2.00 at Knights.
 Gov. Ramsdell and council are in ses-
 sion at Concord today.
 Wanted—A capable cook. Apply at
 the Portsmouth house.
 Have your carpets cleaned by C. L.
 Simpson's steam process.
 A good cigar is man's enjoyment. Next
 time try Dowd's Honest 10.
 W. E. Drake, piano tuner with Oliver
 Ditson Co., at Hoyt & Dow's.
 The P. A. C. boys are to put out a
 handsome flag on Tuesday evening.
 Fred L. Wood is doing a big plumbing
 job at the Hill farm at Little Harbor.
 Both Eldredges and Portsmouth Brew-
 ing Co's lager on draught at W. H. Hill's.
 Lilac buds are growing fast and the
 beautiful blossoms will soon perfume the
 air.
 The Boston and New York Sunday pa-
 pers had a great sale in this city yester-
 day.
 Contractor Ireland has the contract to
 build Thomas A. Ward's new house on
 Middle road.
 Thursday next is Fast day in the state
 of Maine, and navy yard employees get
 another holiday.
 A car-load of six and three-inch shells
 were shipped from the navy yard to New
 York on Sunday.
 The "S. G." Londres is made of the
 choicest stock and is the best ten-cent
 cigar in the market.
 Mr. George A. Sipple of Chicago has
 been engaged by the Portsmouth Brewing
 Co. as brewing master.
 The shop keepers did not like the mil-
 itia call on Saturday evening. It inter-
 fered with their business.
 A good pair of spectacles or eyeglasses
 for 50c. can be had of C. F. Hussey the
 optician. No 1 Congress street.
 Henry M. Clark's big two-horse delivery
 wagon ran away on Saturday, but was
 stopped without doing any damage.
 A private dancing assembly will be given
 in Philbrick banquet hall tomorrow
 evening by Messrs. C. D. and E. E. Call.
 Have your shoes repaired by John W.
 Mott, 34 Congress street. Satisfaction
 guaranteed. Hand-sewed work a spec-
 ialty.
 Remember that the doors open at 7
 o'clock at the Cosmos Easter ball this
 evening and that gallery admission is but
 twenty-five cents.
 See little Mildred Goldsmith as Mis-
 tress Mary and her flower garden at
 Miss Moses' reception in Philbrick hall Wed-
 nesday evening, April 27.
 In the last two days Captain Pope of
 Company A, has taken in twenty-two re-
 cruits and has the names of dozens of
 more men who want to enlist.
 The doors for Miss Moses' dancing
 school exhibition will open at 6:45. The
 reception to be at 7:30 sharp. Come
 early in order to get a good seat.
 The P. C. C. boys assembled at the Ar-
 mory of Company A on Saturday evening
 and cheered the members of their club
 who are also members of the local militia.
 New Hampshire's quota, "to be exact, is
 752 1-2 men. Perhaps Col. Dave Corser,
 as he is not a member of the National
 Guard, would be accepted as the odd half.
 In the excitement of the war situation,
 President McKinley seems to have forgot-
 ten all about the suspense of the New
 Hampshire patriots who desire to enlist as
 postmasters.
 Dame Nature is attending to business
 as persistently as if there were no war ex-
 citement. The leaves are putting forth,
 the buds swelling and the grass making
 itself evident. How things grow!
 Collector R. N. Elwell of the port of
 Portsmouth, has received private instruc-
 tions from Washington with regard to his
 office and war matters. The information
 is important, but cannot be given to the
 press.
 The quick hitch men and other mem-
 bers of the fire department were notified
 ahead by Chief Randall on Saturday eve-
 ning that the militia call was to be sound-
 ed and for them not to pay any attention
 to it.
 General rehearsal of Miss Moses' dan-
 cing school for the pupils with orchestra
 in Philbrick hall at 2 o'clock sharp Tues-
 day afternoon. All children holding com-
 plimentaries please be at the hall at four
 o'clock.
 The old court house and vicinity has
 been the scene of some large gatherings
 in years gone by but probably none that
 exceeded in numbers the mob gathered
 there Saturday evening ten minutes after
 the militia call.
 The Woolenest Whist team received a
 telegram yesterday from the Warwicks of
 Portsmouth, asking if a game in the state
 tournament could be played here, last
 night. An affirmative reply was made
 immediately but the Portsmouth boys did
 not appear.—Concord Monitor, Saturday,
 April 23.

River and Harbor
 Tug Piscataqua came around from Bos-
 ton Sunday morning with the barge Do-
 ver and York in tow.
 Reported below yesterday; schooners
 Florence E. Tower, Johnson, Boston for
 Portland with a general cargo; Satellite,
 Matthews, Ogunquit for Boston with
 wood.
 Barge Knickerbocker was taken below
 today to await the tug Lee King to tow
 her to a southern port.
 Tug Taurus, Clifford, arrived here yester-
 day from Bangor with the barge Belle
 of Oregon in tow after the barge Lichten-
 fold Bros. As soon as the weather per-
 mits the tug will leave with the two
 barges.
 Steamer Charles F. Mayer attempted
 to leave here early Sunday morning with
 two barges in tow but on account of the
 rough weather outside was obliged to put
 back and wait until today.

Cosmos Easter Ball

Eastman's orchestra, augmented for the
 Cosmos Easter ball at Philbrick hall this
 evening, is to render the following superb
 concert program at that event:
 Overture, Stradella Flotow
 Violin Solo, Polonaise F. Lamb
 Otto Scheda
 Selection from Carmen Bizot
 a. Forget Me Not Macbeth
 b. Cradle song Bendix
 String Orchestra
 Madley, Just Out DeWitt
 March from the opera, Sarnade Herbert

Dog Frightened Them

The bicycle repairing establishment of
 C. A. Lindstrom in the Journal building
 on Pleasant street was the scene of an at-
 tempted break on Saturday night. The
 thief or thieves broke out a pane of glass
 in a rear window and then attempted to
 turn the window fastening, but were
 frightened away by a big dog that was
 locked in the establishment.

In Good Health at 86.

SOUTH SEABROOK, N. H., April 16, '98.
 Nancy W. Eaton, aged 86 years, is in
 good health and has no hesitation in say-
 ing she owes her life and health to Hood's
 Sarsaparilla. She had a heart trouble
 and could not get relief until she began
 taking Hood's, which cured her. This
 medicine has also relieved her of indiges-
 tion and distress after eating.

Hang Out a Flag

Everybody should hang out the Ameri-
 can flag.
 Let not Portsmouth lag in this matter.
 George B. French has laid in enough to
 supply any demand, at extremely low
 prices.

A Sailor Overboard

A sailor belonging aboard a three
 masted schooner discharging at the North
 end fell overboard late Saturday evening
 and was rescued after a hard struggle by
 Messrs. Frost and Scott.

Death of Mrs. Mary Cottle

Mrs. Mary Cottle, a well-known and
 respected lady of Eliot, died on Friday
 last at the home of her daughter, Mrs.
 Edward Goodwin, of East Eliot, of pneu-
 monia, aged 78 years.

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